

1884, the deaths from yellow fever were 115. The greatest number of cases occurred on any one day was 11, which was the number reported by the doctor when they were taken to the City Hospital than for the week just passed. The week in 1883 commencing with the present one was the most fatal one recorded in New Orleans. The deaths from yellow fever in that week amounted to 1,671. Some of 1,820, the first week were 1,671. This day (the 20th) was the blackest day of death's reign, the number of deaths on that day, including those for which there were no certificates, being 121.

If the present epidemic is continued at present rate, it will certainly be a fearful one, and will have a tendency to reach rapidly to decline.

PAID FOR THE CEMENT.—If a fellow could hold his gun, and shot at a crowd, and go through without sustaining any injury, and a market bull could hold his head, and not get any wound, he would be a hero and a saint. A bullet that may be twice as good as glue, making the hole the size of the bullet, either in cracking the plaster or the gum is expounded by the crowd. It will come in different men, and the crowd will not even stir. In the American, when the determination is made to go, they go, and no one can prevent them. Dr. J. J. Smith, secretary of the Anti-Slavery and Temperance societies of this county, said: "A soldier is a man who will go to a battle and win."

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Silver Plated Ware

Imported regularly from the best makers.
Includes all the latest designs in silver plated ware,
such as tea sets, coffee sets, and other articles.
Call and see, at
No. 17.

J. B. DAVISON

W. B. HARLAN, Exec'r.
Under the Will.

I have been requested to call and settle with you on the 1st of July. I pay you for the work that I work and therefore I do not give long credits. I hope that all will send to this call, and oblige, respectfully,
GEO. W. COLLINS.

Making his pen and pencil work very neat. He invites his friends and the public to call and see his stock. All work in his line neatly executed with accuracy and performance.

For Farmers and Housekeepers.

Valuable Recipes.

CORING HAM.—In the last Patent of the superior process for curing hams:

The best method I have found for curing hams, is, after the hams have been cut, let them lie on a shelf, where they can have plenty of cool air, so that the animal heat is entirely out of them, before you attempt to put them down in salt; then corn them for two or three days; after which drain off any bloody water which may come out, and then make the following pickle, sufficient to cover them: Take nine pounds of salt, three ounces of saltpetre, one ounce of salaratus, four pounds of brown sugar or molasses; and six gallons of water; let them lie in the above pickle from three to six weeks, according to the size of the hams; when you may take them out and smoke them with good hickory or maple wood until sufficient to suit your taste. They should be taken down and hung up in a dry place, in bags, to protect them from flies. I have hams cured after the above method, which were almost as fine when eighteen months old as when taken from the smoke house. And while upon the subject of hams, I would further say, that when you boil them they should be boiled until done, in good soft water, and when nearly done throw in a handful of clean timothy hay; it absorbs all impurities which may be around the outside of them. As soon as done, take out the hay, but leave the ham in the water until nearly cold, when you may take it out.

TO PRESERVE GRAPES.—Pack them in ash saw dust, until so as to fill the end of the basket. A layer of dust is first placed in the box, then a layer of grapes closely packed, then a layer of dust, so on until the box is full, which may be covered without any reference to its being airtight. The ash saw dust has no peculiar preservative quality, and is selected only because it does not affect the taste of the grapes. The information is valuable, and the process simple.

MARSHING FRUIT TREES.—Many fruit trees which have been considered "valueless," may be recovered by being manured in the fall and winter; and during warm days, when the surface of the soil is not frozen, even stimulating manures may be applied with impunity, and covered with earth. Thus Peruvian guano, now applied, will be so divided through the soil by spring, as not to injure the young saplings from the roots when they resume growth; whereas, if applied after the spring growth commences, the saplings would be injured. Lime, ashes, and other manures appropriate to different soil and trees, may be applied in a similar manner.

Each tree should be laid bare to the top of the roots at this season, and the crops of next year will be materially increased, while the frost destroys the eggs of insects resident in the surface soil.

TO PRESERVE WATER PROOF BOOTS.—Boots and shoes may be rendered impervious to water by the following composition: Take three ounces of spermaceti, and melt in a pipkin, or other earthen vessel, over a slow fire add thereto six drachms of India rubber, cut in slices, and which will presently dissolve. Then add, tallow, eight ounces, hogs lard, two ounces; amber varnish, four ounces. Mix, and it will be fit for use immediately. The boots, or rather shoes, to be treated, are to receive two or three coats with a common blacking brush, and a fine polish is the result.

PUMPKINS.—The most effectual method of preserving pumpkins, during the winter, is to select the largest and most perfectly matured, and having deposited a stratum of dry straw on a close floor, place them thereon, and so near as to touch each other, and cover them carefully with straw, leaving care to fill in the interstices or space between the pumpkins, till the receptacle is filled, or till you have laid by as large a quantity as your inclination or necessity may require.

CHEESE.—Recall that these, if properly cured and cut into pieces, and seasoned, are excellent. I consider for eating generally, and when mixed into a cake with meal or corn and water, make a good milk-producing mass for milk cows. Such being the case, you should see to it, that they do not remain in the field until ever vestige of life remaining principle is bleached out of them. There is as much merit in the proper economy of food, as there is in raising it.

TO PRESERVE BUTTER SWEET.—Take of best pure common salt, two parts; sugar, one part; saltpetre, one part; beat and blend them completely together. One ounce of this mixture to every pound of butter, which is then put up close for use. It is to remain three or four weeks before the salt will be sufficiently blended. It has been found sweet when three years old.

COACH-MAKING AND REPAIRING.

GEORGE THRELKELD RETURNS his acknowledgments to the public for the liberal patronage heretofore extended to him, and would respectfully inform his former patrons and the public generally, that he continues to carry on the Carriage Making Business in all its branches, and has now, and intends keeping on hand, or will make to order, Coaches, Carriages, Rockaways, Buggies, in all their varieties. He respectfully solicits a call from all who wish to purchase any kind of a vehicle, and will merely say, that his work shall be well done, and warranted as represented, while his prices shall be as low as those of any other establishment in this section of country.

He still occupies his old stand, on Second street, opposite Mr. Akin's.

Particular attention will be heretofore given to the REPAIRING and Re-fitting of vehicles of every kind.

GEORGE THRELKELD.
Danville, June 8, '55

Farmer's Baskets.
12 DOZEN Split Baskets, just received for sale at
J. B. AKIN'S

SPRING STYLES

Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes.

W. FIGG HAS now on hand a fine stock of the latest Spring styles of hats, including Beaver, Silk and Fur HATS. Also, various styles of fashionable Soft Hats for Summer wear. He is still manufacturing all descriptions of hats to order. He invites a call from his old customers and the public generally.

JAS. LONGMOOR,
BOOT AND SHOE MAKER,
Main-street, Danville, Ky.

THE undersigned respectfully announces that he has been appointed by the late Mr. J. C. GIBBS, and that he has now on hand a highly superior stock of LEATHER & FINDINGS, of all styles and qualities. He has also a fine stock of No. 1 custom made boots, and a large lot of Eastern work, which he will sell at low prices.

R. BARBAROUX & S. W. SNOWDEN,
HYDRAULIC FOUNDRY,
Corner of Washington and Floyd Sts.,
LOUISVILLE, KY.

CAST IRON RAILING.
Tobacco Screws and Presses; Lard, Timber and Mill Screws;
Railroad Car Wheels and other Castings for Railroads, and general Job Work.
Louisville, May 25, '55

SADDLE, HARNESS AND TRUNK

LINNEY & WILSON

TAKE this method of expressing their thanks to the public for past favors, and of soliciting a continuance of the liberal patronage they have heretofore received. They invite the attention of purchasers to their present stock, embracing

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Saddles

Of every description, together with a general assortment of Carriage, Buggy, Stage and Wagon

HARNESS.

Bridles, Collars, Martingales, Whips, Trunks, &c. &c.

As we are constantly manufacturing, we are prepared to make to order on short notice any article which may be called for in our line.

We intend to do

NO BRAGGING.

On our work or prices, but ask a call from those desiring to purchase. We are willing to let them judge whether we cannot do as good work and at as low prices as any of our neighbors.

REPAIRING promptly attended to.

Bed-Bug Destroyer

I HAVE received a lot of Smith & Co.'s Bed-Bug Destroyer, the only sure remedy ever tried. Try a bottle—No cure, no pay.

OLIPHANT'S Spun Cotton.

OLIPHANT'S Spun Cotton, assorted numbers, for sale by

Rise and Blasting Powder.

SUPERIOR Rifle and Blasting Powder.

For sale by the keg or retail. Also, Shot, Fuzing Tackle, &c., by

Self-Sealing Fruit Cans.

The very latest Improved Patent!

THE subscriber has now on hand, and is still manufacturing, the very latest improved self-sealing cans, for putting up Fresh Fruit. All who desire to call and see these cans, and will be at once satisfied of their superiority over all other Self-Sealing or old-fashioned Fruit Cans. They are sold for very reasonable terms.

S. P. BARBEE'S

Saddle, Harness and Trunk

EMPORIUM.

I HAVE a very large and assorted stock of articles in my line, consisting of

Saddles, Whips, Harnesses, Carpet Bags, Trunks, Satchels, Collars, Bridles, Martingales, Brushes, &c.

All of which will be sold low for cash, or to prompt customers the accounts falling due let of July and let of January.

Having a larger and better stock of work than can be found in the city, and my facilities being greater, I can safely say, I will offer inducements to many wanting any of the above.

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